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IRIS FOR EVERY GARDEN

TO OUR IRIS FRIENDS:

On April 24, 1954 our garden will be opened for our second annual display, and we are looking forward to having you with us again. Your response last year was most gratifying, and we appreciate the interest you have shown by telling your friends of our garden.

Thirty-five new display beds have been added this season, in which there will be iris to suit every need and every purse. You will note that we have added many varieties to our list, some old, some new; iris for the hobbyist and hybridizer, the home gardener, and for those who wish mass color for long driveways or large plantings.

To those of you who live too far away to visit our garden this year, we extend a cordial invitation for the future. In the meantime, we hope our catalog will give you a clear and concise idea of what we have to offer.

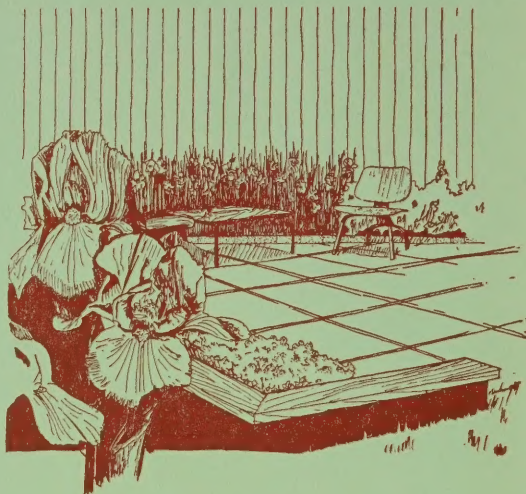
Our garden is located in the beautiful San Ramon Valley (approximately 25 miles from Oakland and Berkeley) and our rhizomes are grown in the same rich soil that produces the "Diamond Walnuts", with which you are all familiar. The winters are cold and summers warm; an ideal climate for growing iris. We do not irrigate and our plants are hardy. Shipments are made during the period when the plants are completely dormant.

DIEHL'S GARDENS

HYBRIDIZING CHARTS

The importance of keeping good records has been stressed by all the successful hybridizers of today's modern iris. The charts, which carry back for five generations, with spaces for hybridizer's name, year of introduction, color of iris, color of beard, season, standards, falls, substance and stalk should be helpful in planning your crosses and keeping permanent records of crosses made. Additional notes may be kept on the reverse side. Available in sets of 100 sheets—
50 White (Alphabetical File)
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PLEASE READ BEFORE ORDERING

OUR STOCK: We guarantee all plants to be true to name, of first class size and top quality.

SHIPPING TIME: Unless otherwise specified, orders shipped beginning July 1st, in rotation as received. We do our best to oblige when a specific shipping date is requested.

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ORDER EARLY: Each season there are "sell outs" of certain varieties. An early order will insure getting those varieties you really want. We do not substitute unless requested to do so. All orders are accepted subject to stock on hand.

PERSONAL SERVICE: We will be happy to assist you in making your selection, or to answer any questions that may arise. Please feel free to write us.

GIFTS: Gift orders accepted at any time during the year. An appropriate card will be sent for the "special occasion", and the plants will be shipped at the proper planting season. (See back cover.)

OUR COVER shows a garden plan by the nationally famous landscape architects, Osmundson and Staley of San Francisco, suggesting various places for the modern iris in the home garden. They say, "The iris has been largely neglected in garden design in recent years. This is a mistake and the gardeners' loss, for the interesting new hybrids, the dazzlingly beautiful color of old and new varieties, the striking foliage of the plant itself, the ease of culture, plus the opportunity of trying hybridization of new varieties oneself, make iris a 'must' in every garden."

EXTRAS:

- On Orders \$10.00 or more, You may choose 25% in EXTRAS.
- On Orders \$25.00 or more, You may choose 40% in EXTRAS.
- Orders under \$10.00: We will include FREE IRIS (EXTRAS), the number and value of which, will be determined by the size of the Order.
- No Discounts on Varieties marked "Net."
- No Discounts on "Collections."

"POPULAR GARDEN" COLLECTION

Select from the list below, a catalog value of \$7.50 or more and receive absolutely FREE, any One of the following: PINNACLE — CHERIE — STATEN ISLAND, If you desire TWO, choose \$14.00 Iris Value. You may have ALL THREE with a \$20.00 selection.

- **PINNACLE:** A distinguished iris of unique color combination. Cool white standards and primrose-yellow falls. Wax-like finish. One of the "Top" iris. Received Award of Merit A.I.S. '51.
 - **CHERIE:** One of the most famous of the new flamingo pinks. A large, ruffled, full bodied pink self with a deep tangerine beard. Excellent form and branching. Dykes Medal '51 (highest award of the A.I.S.)
 - **STATEN ISLAND:** The new "King of the Variegatas." This iris stands out among all others. Bright yellow standards and bright red falls, edged gold. A "must" for every garden. Received Award of Merit A.I.S. '51
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| <p>ALDURA \$1.00
Plicata: Large blue and white. Choice.</p> <p>ARAB CHIEF \$1.00
Brilliant rich burnt orange.</p> <p>ARCTIC \$.60
Ruffled warm white, center brushed gold.</p> <p>AZTEC COPPER \$.75
Blend of smoky violet and copper.</p> <p>AZURE SKIES \$.60
Starched and ruffled pale blue. White beard.</p> <p>BERKELEY BLUE \$1.00
Large clear azure blue. Very early.</p> <p>BERKELEY GOLD \$.60
Deep rich golden yellow. Outstanding.</p> <p>BLUE GLOW \$1.00
Smooth rich deep blue. Brown at haft.</p> <p>BUFFAWN \$.60
Soft rose tinted buff with golden beard.</p> <p>CALIFORNIA GOLD \$.60
Large clear bright yellow. Blooms freely.</p> <p>CAPTAIN WELLS \$.60
Deep glossy maroon purple. Bronze beard.</p> <p>CHINA MAID \$.75
Large lilac pink with bronze undertone.</p> <p>CITY OF LINCOLN \$.60
Brilliant variegata. Golden yellow and Mahogany red.</p> <p>CLOTH OF GOLD \$.75
Rich deep yellow with orange beard.</p> <p>CLOUD CASTLE \$1.00
Large soft wisteria-blue.</p> <p>COPPER CASCADE \$.60
Large copper self with gold undertone.</p> <p>DAYBREAK \$1.00
Ruffled golden pink with coppery undertone.</p> <p>DEEP VELVET \$.60
Deep red-violet with silken sheen.</p> <p>DESERT SKIES \$.65
Chicory blue standards and deeper blue falls.</p> <p>ELMOHR \$1.00
Immense ruffled rich mulberry-purple.</p> <p>FAIR ELAINE \$.60
Two toned yellow with fiery orange beard.</p> <p>FLORENTINE \$.60
Large lilac-blue and white plicata.</p> <p>FRIEDA MOHR \$.60
Large tall lilac rose bi-tone.</p> <p>GAY SENORITA \$1.00
Honey yellow with deep brown overlay.</p> <p>GOLDBEATER \$1.00
Large rich chrome-yellow self.</p> <p>GOLDEN MAJESTY \$.60
Smoothly finished deep golden yellow.</p> <p>GRAND CANYON \$.75
Ruffled deep plum, copper and gold blend.</p> <p>GREAT LAKES \$.75
Famous clear light blue. Tall.</p> <p>JAKE \$.75
Tall white with inner glow of lemon.</p> <p>JUNALUSKA \$.60
Velvety carmine-red falls. Copper-gold standards.</p> <p>KATHERINE FAY \$.75
Large ruffled pure white.</p> <p>LADY BOSCAWEN \$1.00
Ruffled flaring large pure white.</p> | <p>LAKE GEORGE \$.75
Large flaring blue of rich coloring.</p> <p>LIGHTHOUSE \$.60
Glowing old rose and gold blend.</p> <p>MARY NICHOLS \$.60
Satin finished cream white with gold heart.</p> <p>MINNIE COLQUITT \$1.00
Plicata: White ground stitched wine-purple.</p> <p>MISS CALIFORNIA \$.60
Immense lilac-pink. Blooms profusely.</p> <p>MISSOURI \$.60
Fine medium blue with brown on falls.</p> <p>MULBERRY ROSE \$.75
Striking mulberry-rose shaded brown.</p> <p>OLA KALA \$1.00
Heavily ruffled bright orange-yellow.</p> <p>ORCHID LADY \$.60
Lovely orchid-pink with copper overlay.</p> <p>PINK REFLECTION \$.75
Charming chamois-pink with lemon beard.</p> <p>PRAIRIE SUNSET \$1.00
Blend of peach, rose, gold and copper. Fine.</p> <p>PURISSIMA \$.60
Finely formed pure white.</p> <p>RADIANT KNIGHT \$.60
Bi-color of bronzy-orange and coppery orange.</p> <p>RED TORCH \$.75
Bright golden-amber and ruby-red variegata.</p> <p>RED VALOR \$1.00
Smooth large garnet red.</p> <p>REDWARD \$.75
Flaring rich crimson-red.</p> <p>REMEMBRANCE \$.75
Lovely delicate pink with yellow undertone.</p> <p>ROSY RUFFLES \$1.00
Large ruffled rosy pink. Fragrant.</p> <p>SABLE \$.75
Rich black-violet with lustrous sheen.</p> <p>SHINING WATERS \$.60
Sparkling clear light blue.</p> <p>SIERRA BLUE \$.60
Flaring smooth medium blue.</p> <p>SNOQUALMIE \$.60
Lovely flaring pure cream self.</p> <p>SYLVIA MURRAY \$1.00
Large ruffled pale blue with silvery sheen.</p> <p>THE CAPITOL \$1.00
Handsome white with bright orange beard.</p> <p>THE RED DOUGLAS \$.75
Deep wine-red with orange beard.</p> <p>THREE OAKS \$1.00
Rose-pink and copper blend flushed blue.</p> <p>THREE SISTERS \$1.00
Creamy standards and rich red falls.</p> <p>TREASURE ISLAND \$.60
Large rich clear yellow.</p> <p>WABASH \$.60
Crisp white standards and deep violet falls.</p> <p>WHITE WEDGEWOOD \$.75
Frosty white with blue beard.</p> <p>WM. MOHR \$.60
Immense bright lavender veined red-violet.</p> <p>WM. A. SETCHELL \$.75
Gigantic combination of steel blue and deep violet.</p> |
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KEY TO CATALOG:

STANDARDS: Upright petals.

FALLS: Lower petals.

AMOENA: White standards, colored falls.

VARIEGATA: Yellow standards, dark falls.

PLICATA: Color stippled on white or yellow ground.

BLEND: Combination of two or more colors.

BI-COLOR: Flower of two colors.

SELF: Uniform color.

SUBSTANCE: Thickness of petal.

TEXTURE: Finish of petal.

HM. Honorable Mention by A.I.S.

AM. Award of Merit by A.I.S.

DYKES MEDAL: Highest Award by A.I.S.

E-Early M-Medium L-Late (Time of bloom)

Height of stalk is given in inches.

ADAIR (Mitchell) M. 36" **\$2.00**

Lovely, crisp, slightly ruffled lavender-blue self with white beard. Delicate and airy in appearance, yet weather resistant.

AFTER MIDNIGHT (Muhlestein '49) M. 36" **\$2.00**

Large well formed flower of deep purple on tall stalk. Beautiful combined with the pinks, light blues and creams.

ALADDIN'S WISH (Murawska '45)**M. 36"** **75c; 3 for \$2.00**
Huge, medium blue with brushed markings of cream. A unique flower.**AL BORAK (DeForest '52) ML. 36"** **Net \$12.00**

A very large brown and copper russet with wide, horizontal falls. One of Mr. DeForest's finest introductions and destined to be one of the top numbers in this class. Received most favorable comment in our garden last year. HM. '53.

ALBA SUPERBA (Sass '43) M. 38" **75c**

Very large, well formed white iris. HM. '43.

ALEPPO PLAIN (Sass '41) M. 36" **\$1.00**

Deep red and cream plicata. Popular with the plicata fans.

ALDURA (See page 3 for description) **\$1.00****ALLINE ROGERS (Kleinsorge '50) EM. 34"** **\$3.50**

Large, flaring, heavily ruffled bloom in a blend of pink, rose and gold with golden yellow beard. HM. '51.

AMANDINE (Douglas '46) ML. 36" **\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

Clear lemon-cream self with broad domed standards and ruffled, flaring falls. Highly weather resistant. Winner of President's Cup '48. HM. '46. AM. '48.

AMBER GEM (Salbach '46) M. 36" **\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

Beautifully formed large blooms of soft rose blended with golden amber. Well branched stalks. Effective with medium blues. HM. '47.

AMIGO (Williamson '34) EM. 34" **60c**

One of the older but ever popular numbers, with clear lavender-blue standards and deep violet-blue falls, edged with lavender. AM. '38".

AMULET (Sass '53) M. 38" **\$5.00**

A very large flower with broad ruffled petals of semi-flaring form. The color is rich chamois, overlaid with the same pattern as Rainbow Room but in lighter shades of rose, gold and blue. Very hardy with sturdy, well branched stalks.

AND THOU (Graves '42) M. 36" **\$1.00**

A large pale wedgewood blue self with an unusual blue beard. HM. '42.

APRICOT SUPREME (Tompkins '51) M. 40" **\$7.50**

A tall, well branched iris of deep apricot coloring, with a very full beard of an exceptionally brilliant shade of apricot red. The blooms are large with broad heavily substantiated petals. HM. '51.

ARAB CHIEF (See page 3 for description) **\$1.00****ARCTIC (See page 3 for description)** **60c****ARGUS PHEASANT (DeForest '48) M. 38"** **\$5.00**

Outstanding, rich golden brown self with golden brown beard. Immense blooms with wide standards and broad, flaring falls. AM. '50. Dykes Medal Winner '52.

AUBURN (Kleinsorge '45) E. 36" **\$1.50**

Vivid coppery henna-brown with a brilliant patch of blue at tip of beard. HM. '46.

AUTUMN BROWN (Lowry '53) M. 38" **Net \$18.00**

A brilliant dark copper-brown blend with metallic sheen. Slightly ruffled. Wide flaring falls of heavy substance. HM. '52.

AUTUMN FLAME (Sass '41) E. 35" **\$1.00**

Large red-purple bi-tone with velvety falls. Reblooms in fall.

AUTUMN HUES (Sass '51) M. 38" **Net \$20.00**

A large ruffled flower of rich antimony yellow, faintly flushed rose-pink and blue. Blue flash at tip of the beard and a brushing of orange on the haft.

AZALEA (Nesmith '46) M. 36" **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

Azalea pink flushed with ivory. Coral beard. A lovely flower in the garden.

AZTEC COPPER (See page 3 for description) **75c****AZURE LAKE (Muhlestein '52) EM. 36"** **\$10.00**

A lovely medium blue iris with domed standards and heavily ruffled, flared falls. It drew the attention of all who visited our garden last year.

AZURE SKIES (See page 3 for description) **60c****BALLERINA (Hall '51) M. 36"** **\$7.50**

Another beautiful flamingo pink from Mr. Hall's famous line of pinks. The large blooms are well formed, heavily ruffled and of fine substance. Heavy orange beard. HM. '51. AM. '53.

BALLET DANCER (Kleinsorge '49) M. 38" **\$2.50**

An appropriately named flower of apricot-tan with large closed standards and broad horizontal falls with fluted edges. HM. '49. AM. '52.

BALLET GIRL (Sass '35) ML. 36" **60c**

Dainty soft pink flower with rounded, flaring falls.

BANDMASTER (Hall '44) M. 38" **75c**

Immense, smooth medium blue flower on tall, well branched stalk. Does not fade. HM. '44.

BARBARA LUDDY (Lapham '48) M. 38" **\$3.00**

A lovely light shell pink, flushed with cream around the tangerine beard. Nice form. HM. '47.

BARGAIN DAY (Mitchell) L. 36" **\$1.00**

Lovely, yellow ground plicata.

BELLERIVE (Benson '50) M. 40" **\$3.00**

A very striking rich cream flower of fine form and heavy substance. HM. '50. Winner of President's Cup '52.

BEN AHDEM (Morris '50) E. 28" **\$1.50**

Deep lilac-blue. Flower resembles it's Regelia parent, Hoogiana.

- BERKELEY BLUE** (See page 3 for description) \$1.00
- BERKELEY GOLD** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- BERMUDA SAND** (Hall '39) M. 36" 75c
Ruffled, coffee tan blend. Strong grower.
- BERTHA GERSDORFF** (Sass '42) ML. 36" 75c
Standards, yellow flushed pink. Falls, yellow heavily flushed pinkish purple.
- BEVERLY** (Lapham '39) ML. 34" 50c; 3 for \$1.25
Large flowers of orchid pink, edged golden brown. Yellow beard.
- BIG TIME** (Lapham '51) M. 39" \$12.00
Very large new rose-red with lustrous sheen. Reddish-yellow beard. Heavy substance. An iris of distinction.
- BILLET-DOUX** (Border Iris) VE. 22" \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00
Pale blue flowers with flaring falls.
- BLACK FOREST** (Schreiner '45) M. 33" \$1.00
Ebony-blue-black iris with deep blue beard and satin sheen. Blooms freely. HM. '46. AM. '48.
- BLACK CASTLE** (Schreiner '53) M. 32" Net \$15.00
One of Mr. Schreiner's new near-jet-black iris. We haven't seen it bloom, but we understand from those who have that it is sensational.
- BLACK AND GOLD** (Klein. '43) M. 36" \$1.00
Attractive variegata with standards of chrome-gold, and falls blackish-maroon.
- BLACK HILLS** (Fay '51) M. 40" Net. \$10.00
A blue-black flower with beard to match and no haft markings. The bloom is well proportioned with flaring falls. Both size and height are comparable to the best iris in other color classes. Vigorous grower and fast increaser. HM. '51.
- BLACK MICHAEL** (Morris '49) L. 42" \$7.50
A near-black iris from England. The domed standards are dark blue-violet and the flaring falls are deep velvety violet-black. Unusually tall for a black iris. Withstands severe weather. Silver Medal '48 (England).
- BLACK ORCHID** (DeForest '50) M. 36" \$3.00
A handsome, rich deep purple flower with flaring falls. The velvety bloom is large and the stalks tall.
- BLACK SATIN** (Nesmith '51) M. 36" Net. \$10.00
Intensely deep blue-black flower with exquisite form, heavy substance and glistening satin finish. HM. '51.
- BLUEBIRD BLUE** (Fay '53) M. 36" Net. \$12.50
Large, full, round and tailored bloom of clear medium blue with white beard, tipped lemon. Does not fade. A truly beautiful iris. HC. '50.
- BLUE BLAZES** (Welch '50) M. 38" \$6.00
Very large smooth blue with broad petals of heavy substance. Immensely popular. HM. '51.
- BLUE ELEGANCE** (Jory '48) EM. 38" \$2.50
Huge onco-hybrid of clear blue with dark blue veining. HM. '49.
- BLUE FRILLS** (B. Stephenson '46) M. 38" \$1.00
Smooth azure blue with blue tinged beard. A flower of fine substance and lustrous sheen.
- BLUE GLOW** (See page 3 for description) \$1.00
- BLUE RHYTHM** (Whiting '45) ML. 40" \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
Smoothly finished flower of good form in cornflower blue with silvery overlay. AM. '47. Dykes Medal '50.
- BLUE SHIMMER** (Sass '42) M. 38" \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
Delightful plicata with clear white background and clear blue stippling. Flowers of beautiful form on well branched stalks. AM. '44.
- BLUE VALLEY** (Smith '47) ML. 36" \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00
Large ruffled flower of flaring form and glistening sheen. Near to true blue. HM. '47. AM. '49.
- BLUMOHR** (Marx '49) EM. 37" \$5.00
Pure lavender-blue flower of large size and onco form. No veining. Fine substance and weather resistant. HM. '49. AM. '52.
- BOLD COPPER** (Sass '50) M. 36" \$5.00
Glowing new copper blend with beautifully ruffled flowers of flaring form and heavy substance.
- BRIGHT HOUR** (Douglas '52) M. 36" Net \$15.00
An impressive amoena with standards of silvery white and falls of velvety purple, edged white. Yellow beard. Both standards and falls are delightfully ruffled. HM. '53.
- BRILLIANT AMBER** (Salbach '47) M. 40" \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75
Huge flowers of fine form with deep amber standards, tinted pink. Golden brown falls etched with gold veining. HM. '47.
- BRONZE BROCADE** (Nesmith '48) ML. 40" \$3.00
Rich, warm blend of copper-red and tobacco brown with a flush of purple around the gold beard. Falls are ruffled and slightly flaring. Well branched and vigorous. HM. '48.
- BRONZED COPPER** (Kleinsorge '43) M. 30" 60c
Light copper flushed lavender.
- BROWN BOY** (Salbach '40) M. 30" 65c
A soft brown toned flower with coppery standards and velvety brown falls. Long lasting as a cut flower.
- BRYCE CANYON** (Kleinsorge '44) ML. 38" \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
Appropriately named. This flower is a blending of copper, reddish-brown and henna. AM. '47.
- BUFFAWN** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- BURGUNDY SPLASH** (Craig '49) M. 36" \$6.00
Large plicata with burgundy standards and creamy falls stippled and bordered with burgundy.
- BUTTERCUP LANE** (Hall '41) M. 36" 50c; 3 for \$1.25
Heavily ruffled bright yellow with semi-flaring falls. HM. '40.
- BUTTERFLY BLUE** (Fay '52) L. 36" Net \$12.50
Frosted, clear light blue flower with pale lemon beard. No haft markings. Falls, semi-flaring and ruffled. Well branched and hardy. HM. '53.
- CAHOKIA** (Faught '48) M. 39" \$5.00
Large, clear light blue with slight turquoise cast, and lemon yellow beard. Good form and substance. AM. '51.
- CAIRO** (Kleinsorge '52) M. 40" \$10.00
Very large light tan flower with underlay of old rose. The broad, horizontal falls are slightly edged with gold. Bronze beard.
- CALIFORNIA GOLD** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- CALIFORNIA ROSE** (Salbach '47) M. 36" \$2.00
Large, well formed flower of fine substance in a soft rose pink. HM. '47.
- CAMEROUN** (Cayeux '38) ML. 36" 75c
Rich, velvety plum-purple flower with large, rounded petals. AM. '41.
- CAMPFIRE GLOW** (Whiting '47) ML. 35" \$3.50
Vibrant, ruby self with lustrous copper sheen. No haft markings. Flowers do not fade and have long blooming period. HM. '47.
- CAPELLA** (Sass '50) M. 38" \$6.00
Large, smooth, well-formed flower of darkest yellow on sturdy, well branched stalks.
- CAPITOLA** (Reinelt '40) EM. 32" \$1.00
Large, deep red-violet Oncobred iris. Good pollen parent. AM. '50.

- CAPTAIN FROM CASTLE** (DeForest '51) \$5.00
ML. 38"
Striking new plicata with rich yellow ground and brownish markings. Brownish-orange beard. HM. '52.
- CAPTAIN WELLS** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- CARABELLA** (DeForest '49) M. 40" \$2.00
Tall, smooth, medium salmon-pink, with self colored beard. Does not fade. A strong grower with abundant blooms. HM. '49.
- CAROLINE JANE** (DeForest '51) M. 40" \$12.00
Strikingly beautiful new plicata with glistening white ground, delicately stitched and flushed light violet. Large, flaring, ruffled flowers on tall, well branched stalks. Attracted immediate attention in our garden last year. HM. '51.
- CASA MORENA** (DeForest '43) M. 38" \$1.50
Very large chestnut brown blend with brownish-orange beard. Parent of Argus Pheasant. HM. '44. AM. '46.
- CASCADE SPLENDOR** (Kleinsorge '45) \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00
L. 40"
Large, ruffled, pink, tan and apricot blend. Abundant blooms on sturdy, well branched stalks. HM. '45. AM. '47.
- CASQUE D'OR** (Sass '37) ML. 40" 60c
Standards old gold, with velvety black-maroon falls. HM. '37.
- CENTURION** (Wills '50) EM. 35" \$6.00
A handsome, rich, burnished brown iris with hint of blue below gold beard. Fine substance and good branching. HM. '50.
- CHAMOIS** (Kleinsorge '44) M. 35" \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75
Unusually large chamois self with no markings and silken sheen. A flower of fine form with slightly waved petals. AM. '48.
- CHANTILLY** (Hall '45) M. 36" \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75
Dainty orchid-pink flower with edges of both standards and falls heavily ruffled and frilled. Good substance and a hardy grower. AM. '47.
- CHAR-MAIZE** (Lyon '49) M. 38" \$6.00
Intriguing, rich yellow flower with chartreuse undertones. Both standards and falls beautifully ruffled. Fine substance. Popular with our garden visitors. AM. '52.
- CHERIE** (Hall '47) EM. 34" \$5.00
A fine flamingo pink self with broad, heavily substance, ruffled petals and deep tangerine beard. AM. '49. Dykes Medal '51.
- CHIEF POKING FIRE** (DeForest '42) M. 34" 75c
Velvety, brown-red bi-color. Wide standards and rounded falls.
- CHINA LADY** (Milliken '37) M. 36" 75c
Glistening, ivory flower of fine substance with bright beard and gold veining on haft.
- CHINA MAID** (See page 3 for description) 75c
- CHINA ROSE** (Salbach '34) E. 30" 50c
Orchid-pink iris with deeper color in falls. Free flowering.
- CHINOOK PASS** (Norton '50) M. 38" \$3.00
A very fine large flower of heavy substance with light blue standards and lavender-blue falls. Clear haft and white tipped beard. HM. '51.
- CHIQUITA** (Knowlton '51) M. 36" Net \$8.00
Beautifully ruffled, large neglecta with closed blue-lavender standards and flaring, velvety blue-purple falls edged blue-lavender. A very fine iris. HM. '51.
- CHIVALRY** (Wills '44) M. 36" \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75
Ruffled, medium blue iris of exquisite form. A "must" in every garden. AM. '46. Dykes Medal '47.
- CHOIR BOY** (Schreiner '47) L. 34" \$1.00
Well formed amoena with white standards and deep blue falls.
- CHOSEN** (White '37) M. 44" 50c; 3 for \$1.25
Large sulphur-yellow of fine quality. AM. '39.
- CIGARETTE** (Brehm '46) M. 36" 75c
Large, smooth, pure cream self of fine form. Popular.
- CINNAMON TOAST** (Sass '53) M. 30" Net \$20.00
An outstanding plicata. Large flower with cream ground, sanded red-brown and forming a solid border. Glistening sheen. HM. '53.
- CITY OF LINCOLN** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- CLIFFS OF DOVER** (Fay '53) M. 36" Net \$12.50
Large, flaring, ruffled clear white flower of great substance. No haft markings and light yellow beard. Blue-green foliage. Good grower and fast increaser. HM. '53.
- CLOTH OF GOLD** (See page 3 for description) 75c
- CLOUD CAP** (DeForest '50) M. 40" \$10.00
Exceptionally tall "blossom pink" iris of perfect form and smooth texture, with heavy, bright tangerine beard. Well branched and free flowering. Attracts wide attention. HM. '51. AM. '53.
- CLOUD CASTLE** (See page 3 for description) \$1.00
- COCK PHEASANT** (Whiting '51) M. 34" \$4.00
Rich garnet red with overlay of terra cotta on falls. The flowers of medium size and fine form are nicely displayed on stalks in good proportion to bloom.
- COLOR CARNIVAL** (DeForest '49) M. 38" \$3.50
A truly gay iris of deep pink with purple markings on falls. Tangerine beard. This large, well formed flower attracts much attention. HM. '50.
- COLUMBIA** (Tompkins '52) M. 36" Net \$15.00
A medium sized flower of beautifully tailored, flaring form. One of the richest and truest medium blues, with broad petals of heavy substance and smooth finish. Strong, well branched stalks. HM. '52.
- CONFETTI** (Schreiner '49) EM. 38" \$3.00
Striking pink plicata of fine form and heavy substance. The flowers with stippling of pink on a creamy-white ground are gracefully flared and well placed on well branched stems. HM. '50.
- COPPER CASCADE** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- COPPER ROSE** (Cook '41) M. 38" 75c
Blend of copper, tan and old rose, with gold haft. HM. '42.
- CORAL MIST** (Grant '41) M. 36" 75c
Soft pink blend with flowers of flaring form on well branched stems. HM. '42.
- CORDOVAN** (Kleinsorge '46) \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
M. 34"
A favorite in this class. Large, ruffled, brown-red flowers with lustrous finish and heavy substance. AM. '51.
- COTTON CANDY** (Sass '53) ML. 36" \$5.00
A pink self with deep pink beard, and broad, rounded, horizontal petals. Recommended for breeding.
- COUNTRY BUTTER** (Sass '53) ML. 36" \$5.00
Deep lemon-yellow flower with rich gold beard, heavy substance and smooth finish. Semi-flaring falls.

- CREVETTE** (Whiting '51) M. 34" \$2.00
A creamy shell pink self with tangerine beard. Flowers of good form on well branched stems. Blooms freely.
- CUBAN CARNIVAL** (Sass '48) M. 36" \$1.00
A vivid plicata with deep cream ground, washed deep violet-red, with gold throat.
- DANCING WATERS** (Sass '50) M. 36" \$5.00
A fine new plicata of clear white and brilliant blue. Broad, flaring falls. Excellent branching.
- DANUBE WAVE** (Schreiner '47) M. 38" \$2.00
Rich shade of dark marine blue, with great depth of color. Fine, flaring form and excellent substance. HM. '48. AM. '51.
- DARK MELODY** (Sass '51) ML. 36" \$5.00
A most appealing and novel new plicata with creamy ground and heavy border of dark purple. Brown beard.
- DARK KNIGHT** (Salbach '34) ML. 38" 60c
Mahogany red. Blooms perfectly formed and abundant. HM. '36.
- DARK TOWER** (Mitchell '50) M. 38" \$3.00
A fine, ruffled blue. Good stalk with excellent branching. A cross of Snow Flurry and Chivalry. Fine parent for blues, whites and ruffling.
- DAWN OF GOLD** (Salbach '40) L. 36" 50c
Soft golden yellow. Good form and heavy texture. Late blooming.
- DAYBREAK** (See page 3 for description) \$1.00
- DEEP BUTTERCUP** (Muhlestein '48) EM. 36" \$1.50
A deep bright yellow with large buds of wax-like appearance. Has 1/4 Onco blood. HC. '47.
- DEEP MAROON** (Muhlestein '52) EM. 30" Net \$15.00
A fine new red bi-color. Standards are orange-red, and rich velvety falls are a deep maroon-red. No markings on haft. Good branching.
- DEEP VELVET** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- DEPUTE NOMBLLOT** (Cayeux '29) M. 44" 50c
Velvety claret crimson iris. Many of today's modern iris have this flower in their heritage. Dykes Medal (France) '30.
- DESERT SKIES** (See page 3 for description) 65c
- DESERT SONG** (Fay '46) M. 40" \$1.50
Beautifully ruffled, cream flower of excellent proportion and very heavy texture. Withstands adverse weather conditions. A top iris in this color class. AM. '49.
- DESTINY** (Burgess '34) ML. 38" 60c
A very dark, velvety bronze-purple with golden bronze beard.
- DISTANCE** (Cook '46) M. 35" \$1.50
Large, clean, silvery light blue with white beard. Excellent form and substance. HM. '46. AM. '49.
- DOGROSE** (Insole '30) M. 36" 60c
Large, lovely lilac-pink self of good form.
- DOLLY VARDEN** (Hall '50) M. 37" \$10.00
A flower of exceptionally fine form in deep flamingo pink with salmon overlay and no haft markings. Very heavy substance. Strong, well branched stems. HM. '50.
- DREAMCASTLE** (Cook '43) M. 36" \$1.50
Very lovely orchid-pink with white beard tinted lemon at the base. A large flower with extremely broad petals. One of the best in this class. AM. '48.

EASTERMOHR (Weidner '53) M. 40" Net \$22.50
An Onco-hybrid that is really blue. A cross of Wm. Mohr x Easter Morn, it has inherited the color and excellent branching from the pollen parent. A large, ruffled flower with firmly cupped standards and semi-flaring falls. Stock Limited.

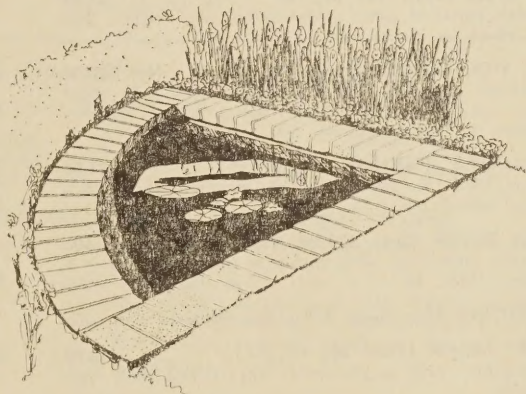
EASTER SUNRISE (Rees '44) VE. 48" \$1.00
A creamy white iris with gold at haft. A beautiful background iris where height is needed.

EBONY ECHO (Tompkins '48) ML. 36" \$7.00
The bud appears to be shiny black. Large flowers are deep Carmine with a satiny black-red overlay. Broad, ruffled, horizontal falls. HM. '49. AM. '53.

EBONY ISLE (DeForest '49) M. 34" \$5.00
A very smooth flower of deep black-red. Unusual finish. Excellent form. HM. '50.

EBONY QUEEN (Sass '47) M. 36" \$1.00
Very dark black-purple self. Medium sized blooms on well branched stalks. HM. '47.

EDITH LAURA (Mitchell '49) M. 38" \$1.50
Standards white and falls white, edged violet.



EDWARD LAPHAM (Lapham '40) ML. 36" \$1.00
Fine, rich maroon-red iris with slight fragrance. HM. '40.

ELMOHR (See page 3 for description) \$1.00

EL PASO (Kleinsorge '49) M. 32" \$2.00
A rich, bright, golden-brown with metallic finish. Closed standards and broad, flaring falls. HM. '50.

ELSA SASS (Sass '39) M. 36" 60c
A clear, soft lemon-yellow with a dash of white near the haft. Large, rounded petals, slightly frilled. HM. '39. AM. '41.

ENVOY (DeForest '49) M. 34" \$5.00
A different and very beautiful new flower in the black bi-color class. Standards glow with rich red tones and the falls are like black velvet. A top iris.

ESQUIRE (Lothrop '45) M. 38" \$1.00
Rich, medium-deep purple with texture lines. Beautiful form and branching. HM. '47.

EVA SLOAN (Faught '53) M. 38" Net \$15.00
White falls, cream edged and lined. Closed cream standards. Blooms well spaced and placed. Very fragrant. A dependable bloomer. HC. '52.

EXTRAVAGANZA (Douglas '44) ML. 38" \$1.50
A choice amoena with white standards and falls a deep plum-red flushed purple. AM. '47.

- FAIR ELAINE** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- FALL DAYS** (Smith '47) M. 42" \$3.00
A blend of brown, rose and gold. Coppery sheen. Excellent in a clump. HM. '47.
- FANCY WORKS** (Craig '51) E. 40" Net \$10.00
Yellow and burgundy red plicata. Classified as a tall miscellaneous bearded (tall bearded x Onco-hybrid).
- FANTASY** (Hall '47) M. 36" \$5.00
Bright and lovely orchid-pink with tangerine beard. Different in color than other new pinks. Well branched, hardy and a good grower. AM. '49.
- FIRECRACKER** (Hall '43) M. 34" \$1.50
Bright yellow and red plicata. Standards, burgundy with golden undertone. Falls deeper in color, dotted yellow. HM. '43.
- FIRE DANCE** (Fay '47) M. 38" \$3.00
A brilliant, heavily marked, red plicata. Large, broad petaled flower of excellent, rounded form. HM. '47.
- FIRE FALL** (Border) M. 24" 50c
Standards red. Falls Bordeaux red.
- FIRE OPAL** (Lyell '48) ML. 40" \$1.25
A rich blend of pink, golden-amber and orchid. Best described by it's name.
- FIRST VIOLET** (DeForest '52) M. 38" Net \$20.00
A clean, sparkling Manganese violet self, with slight blue undertone. The ruffled, flaring flowers are well spaced on the stalk. HM. '53.
- FLORADORA** (Hall '47) M. 36" \$1.50
Large, rich flamingo pink of excellent form, with bright beard.
- FLORA ZENOR** (Sass '42) M. 38" 60c
A pale cameo-pink with purple at the haft. Fine in a clump. AM. '44.
- FLORENTINE** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- FLURRY MOHR** (Rees '50) M. 38" \$2.00
A gigantic, rich, purple-violet. Very showy Mohr type flowers.
- FRANCES KENT** (DeForest '51) M. 38" Net \$10.00
Wide, ruffled flower with closed standards and horizontal falls. Standards chartreuse-cream flushed pink, and falls lighter with pinkish beard. Beautiful and unusual. HM. '52.
- FRIEDA MOHR** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- FROSTED GLASS** (Becherer '43) M. 36" \$1.00
Light cream iris with frosted finish and bright orange beard. Leathery texture. Fine form.
- FROST GLINT** (Whiting '51) ML. 35" \$2.50
An icy blue-white iris of excellent form and unusually heavy substance. A large flower with domed, ruffled standards and flaring, heavily ruffled falls. Long lasting.
- FUCHSIA** (Hall '51) M. 34" \$6.00
Deep, raspberry-pink iris with tangerine-red beard. Flaring, slightly ruffled falls. A flower of distinction. HM. '53.
- GALA FINALE** (DeForest '50) M. 38" \$6.00
This plicata creates a bright garden effect with it's intense yellow ground and overall markings of brilliant red. HM. '52.
- GARDEN GLORY** (Whiting '43) ML. 34" \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75
A deep red-purple iris with no haft markings. Good form and flaring falls. A garden favorite. AM. '47.
- GARDEN MAGIC** (Grinter '36) ML. 38" 75c
Velvety, deep red self of excellent form and heavy substance. HM. '37.
- GARNET FLAME** (DeForest '52) ML. 36" \$7.50
Golden-russet and garnet-brown bi-tone. Impressive large blooms.
- GARNET GLOW** (Sass '51) ML. 38" \$8.00
Listed by Mr. Sass as "Dark Vinaceous Purple self with tangerine red beard." A new color in iris. This is a flower of exceptional beauty, with broad, flaring falls, fine substance and a satiny finish. HM. '52.
- GAY BORDER** (DeForest '49) EM. 40" \$2.00
A pleasing plicata with white ground and maroon border, with gold at haft. Wide, flaring falls. HM. '49.
- GAY SENORITA** (See page 3 for description) \$1.00
- GENERAL MACARTHUR** (Weed '43) VL. 36" 60c
Huge cream flower with gold at haft. Horizontal falls.
- GENERAL PATTON** (Kleinsorge '47) ML. 37" \$2.00
Glistening, copper-brown self of large size with very broad petals. HM. '47.
- GLORIOLE** (Gage '33) EM. 40" 60c
Lovely, ruffled and frosted pale blue. Considered a good parent. AM. '35.
- GOLDBEATER** (See page 3 for description) \$1.00
- GOLD DUST** (Salbach '52) M. 36" \$7.50
Perfectly formed plicata of fine texture, with rich golden yellow ground, flushed and dotted deep brown. Well branched. A hardy grower and increaser.
- GOLDEN DAYS** (Smith '49) M. 32" \$3.00
A brilliant yellow iris of fine form with leathery substance. Recommended for breeding.
- GOLDEN FLEECE** (Sass '40) L. 40" 75c
Large, beautifully ruffled lemon-yellow flower with lighter falls edged gold. AM. '42.
- GOLDEN HAWK** (Smith '51) M. 44" \$25.00
An exceptionally handsome large primrose yellow self, overlaid with metallic gold. No markings. A beautifully tailored flower with cupped standards and semi-flaring falls. Four branches. HM. '52.
- GOLDEN MAJESTY** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- GOLDEN PLOVER** (DeForest '50) M. 38" \$6.00
Golden tan self. Smooth finished, large flowers well spaced on tall stalk. One of the finest in this class. HM. '51.
- GOLDEN RUFFLES** (Taylor '46) EM. 38" \$1.50
Radiant, ruffled yellow of great garden value. AM. '49.
- GOLDEN RUSSET** (Hall '46) M. 40" \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00
Immense golden russet. One of the largest flowers in our garden. HM. '47. AM. '52.
- GOLDEN SHADOWS** (Rees '52) M. 40" \$7.50
Beautiful warm white iris with gold diffusion at heart. The flowers are large and of fine form. Really outstanding.
- GOLDEN SPIKE** (Whiting '40) M. 36" 50c
Large, smooth, deep yellow self with heavy orange beard. Blooms profusely. AM. '42.
- GOLDEN SYMPHONY** (Horton '44) VL. 36" \$4.00
Yellow standards contrast effectively with lavender-blue falls edged yellow. A grand finale to the iris season. HM. '50.
- GOLD RUSH** (Essig '42) EM. 38" \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75
A rich deep yellow self of fine form.

GOLD SOVEREIGN (Whiting '49) M. 30" \$3.50
Ruffled, deepest yellow (almost orange) flower. Brilliant garden effect. Vigorous and hardy. HM. '50.

GOOD NEWS (Kleinsorge '46) M. 33" \$1.50
Ruffled, bright mustard gold self with domed standards and wide flaring falls. Blooms freely. HM. '47

GOOD AND PLENTY (Fay '52) M. 34" \$12.50
Appropriately named. Two identical iris plants from the same seed. One produces pure white flowers and the other blue flowers, with very ruffled, horizontal falls. Fine substance. Both plants offered together.

GRAND CANYON (See page 3 for description) 75c

GRASMERE (Smith '53) M. 42" Net \$15.00
Very ruffled, large pale blue self with no markings and white tipped beard. Flowers measuring 6½ in. well placed on tall stalk with five branches. A fine new introduction.

GREAT LAKES (See page 3 for description) 75c

GREEN MOHR (Muhlestein '51) ML. 36" \$4.00
"Mohr" type, greenish-chartreuse self with lavender flush. A large, beautifully formed flower. HM. '52.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY (Hall '52) M. 36" Net \$12.00
A large Flamingo Pink, exquisitely ruffled, wide petaled and of good substance. To date, this is Mr. Hall's "Top" pink. Increases rapidly. HM. '52.

HAPPY VALLEY (Miess '50) E. 40" \$4.00
A beautiful, large amethyst-violet self. Beard, orange at base and lemon at tip. Broad falls, flaring and ruffled. Very heavy substance. Flowers are excellently spaced. Vigorous.

HARRIET THOREAU (Cook '44) ML. 38" 75c
Delightful orchid-pink flower of fine style and form. Good substance. HM. '45.

HELEN COLLINGWOOD (Smith '49) M. 40" \$10.00
A distinctive neglecta with light lavender standards and brilliant, violet-purple falls. A beautiful iris and one that will be used by many breeders in their hybridizing programs. HM. '50. AM. '52.

HELEN MCGREGOR (Graves '46) M. 34" \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00
One of the most popular iris today. A clear, pale blue of flaring form, exquisitely ruffled. White beard. Most effective when planted in partial shade. AM. '48. Dykes Medal '49.

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White flower with green undertones. Should be useful in breeding toward greens. Unusual.

GUDRUN (Dykes '30) EM. 32" 60c
A warm white flower with gold dust overlay and gold beard. AM. '36. Dykes Medal (England) '31.

GULF STREAM (Fay '46) EM. 36" \$1.00
Deep, velvety blue-black self of fine form. Recommended for breeding. HM. '46.

GYPSY (Kleinsorge '44) L. 48" 75c
A tall, brilliant variegata with orange-gold standards and chestnut-brown falls. HM. '45.

GYPSY CLASSIC (DeForest '50) M. 36" \$6.00
Impressive iris of rich brown with henna overlay, and bright orange beard. Bloom, wide and flaring. HM. '52.

GYPSY ROSE (Whiting '46) M. 39" \$1.50
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HALL'S NO. 42-05 (Seedling) \$1.25
A very good, early Hall seedling. An inexpensive pink that has everything.

HALL'S NO. 50-303 (Seedling) M. 38" \$3.00
We gave this lovely Hall seedling the No. 303 for identification. An iris of deep flamingo pink, excellent form and long blooming quality.

HALOLIGHT (Schreiner '53) L. 42" Net \$18.00
A glowing blend of golden buff and apricot. A fine flower of perfect form and branching.

HERITAGE (Hall '49) M. 34" \$5.00
A deep toned flamingo pink, with bright tangerine beard. This broad petaled flower of heavy substance is slightly ruffled and has semi-flaring falls and nicely held standards. AM. '51.

HI-TIME (Hall '50) M. 34" \$3.50
A lustrous golden apricot with full deep tangerine beard. Medium-large flowers of heavy, silky texture. Vigorous grower and free bloomer. HM. '50.

HIT PARADE (Hall '47) M. 32" \$1.50
Another flamingo pink, slightly ruffled and of good form and substance.

HONOR BRIGHT (DeForest '51) M. 37" \$6.00
A very large, beautifully formed new plicata. The broad, full petals are of soft creamy-yellow, edged cinnamon-gold. HM. '51.

HOOSIER SUNRISE (Lapham '42) M. 40" 60c
A lovely pink blend with infusion of soft citron gold. Broad, rounded standards and falls. Good branching. HM. '43.

HURRICANE (Craig '49) M. 37" \$6.00
Very large, dark powder blue flower with Onco veining and brushing. Should be valuable in breeding. HM. '49.

ICE KING (Johnson '49) EM. 40" \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
Very large white with slight blue undertone and light blue buds. White beard. Sweet scented. Vigorous.

INCA CHIEF (Mitsch '52) ML. 35" Net \$15.00
A brilliant, lustrous, golden bronze self. An immense flower, nicely proportioned, slightly ruffled and of gorgeous coloring. HM. '52.

- INDIANA NIGHT** (Cook '42) ML. 38" \$1.00
A rich, velvety blue-purple, almost black. Larger, taller and later to bloom than Sable, one of it's parents. AM. '44.
- INTERLUDE** (Sass '51) M. 36" \$4.00
Brilliant new blend with russet-vinaceous standards and falls of bright ochre red, with a touch of blue at the tip of full yellow beard.
- IVORY PETALS** (Sass '52) ML. 38" \$6.00
A deep, smoky toned ivory with a solid undertone of pale chartreuse. Very large, broad petaled flower of fine form and heavy substance.
- IVORY PRINCESS** (Whiting '50) ML. 38" \$2.00
Warm ivory self with a light creamy-yellow beard and no haft markings. Large flowers of fine form and heavy substance. Well branched stalks with many buds. Hardy and a good increaser.
- IVORY TOWER** (Walker '48) E. 40" 50c
A tall, candelabra type flower with many long pointed buds appearing on the well branched stem. HC. '46.
- JAKE** (See page 3 for description) 75c
- JANE PHILLIPS** (Graves '50) M. 38" \$5.00
A deep rich blue of excellent form and substance. One of the finest blues to date. AM. '52.
- JAYA JEWELL** (DeForest '51) M. 38" \$7.50
A smooth, iridescent golden-tan, with a greenish hue. (A bright old-gold). Excellent size, form and substance.
- JULIET** (Kleinsorge '46) M. 38" \$1.00
A fiery blend of flame-copper with clear copper shadings. Burnt orange beard. Quite outstanding. HM. '47.
- JUNALUSKA** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- KATHERINE FAY** (See page 3 for description) 75c
- KEENE VALLEY** (Smith '49) M. 42" \$7.50
A real blue. Large flowers with flaring petals. Very broad at haft. Excellent substance. A fine parent. HM. '50.
- KING'S JESTER** (Stevens '48) M. 38" \$2.00
A "fancy" plicata. Unusual feathering of rosy maroon on silvery white. Resembles the markings of butterfly wings.
- LADY BOSCAWEN** (See page 3 for description) \$1.00
- LADY ILSE** (Smith '51) ML. 40" \$15.00
A powder blue with an iridescent sheen. Large, ruffled flowers on three branches. Two fine parents, Jane Phillips x Keene Valley. HM. '52.
- LADY LOUISE** (Graves '47) ML. 42" \$3.00
Colonial buff standards with white falls edged color of standards. Very distinct in color and pattern. Firm substantanced flowers, well spaced with four way branching. HM. '47.
- LADY MOHR** (Salbach '44) EM. 38" \$1.00
This dramatic flower from a famous introducer occupies a place of its own in the iris world. Pale chartreuse falls with decorative veining and a dash of red-violet at the haft, contrast enchantingly with the standards of oyster white, faintly tinted mauve. The beautifully formed blooms, on tall well branched stems last over a long period of time. Extremely weather resistant. HM. '44. AM. '46.
- LADY MOON** (Whiting '50) M. 36" \$2.00
A cold white self with white beard. Large, well formed flowers of heavy substance.
- LA GOLANDRINA** (Tompkins '46) ML. 38" \$1.00
This iris is a rich, royal purple self with satiny finish, well domed standards and broad, semi-flaring, slightly ruffled falls.
- LAKE BREEZE** (Fay '45) M. 38" \$1.00
A flaring, nicely ruffled flower of clean, light wisteria-blue. Very lovely. HM. '45.
- LAKE GEORGE** (See page 3 for description) 75c
- LAKE HURON** (Sass '42) M. 36" 50c
A deep, intense blue. The falls are almost blue-black when the flower begins to open. Yellow beard.
- LA PLAYA** (Mitchell '49) E. 36" \$3.50
Coppery-brown blend, showing many of the characteristics of one of it's parents, Sultan's Robe.
- LATE SUN** (DeForest '40) ML. 40" 60c
A deep yellow self, with King Tut and Jean Cayeux blood in it's breeding. HM. '42.
- LATIGO** (Sass '52) M. 38" \$8.00
This beautiful new white of large size and good form might be called an improved Jake, as it is the same snowy white with yellow hafts and glow of yellow in the throat.
- LEADING LADY** (Lyll '49) EM. 38" \$4.00
Creamy-yellow standards and white falls with rich, golden-yellow edging. Flowers are broad petaled and semi-flaring. Lovely in established clumps. HM. '50.
- LIGHTHOUSE** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- LILAC LANE** (Whiting '47) M. 38" \$3.50
Silvery, pale lilac self of large size with flaring form and broad, ruffled petals. Heavy substance. AM. '51.
- LIMELIGHT** (Hall '52) M. 35" \$10.00
Large, frilled and ruffled canary-yellow to greenish-yellow iris of the Chantilly type. A real beauty. HM. '52.
- LINDORA** (Sass '50) M. 38" \$5.00
Standards are rich dark orange-yellow and the falls are snowy-white with a wide border or orange-yellow. A superb iris.
- L. MERTON GAGE** (Lapham '42) EM. 40" 75c
Light raspberry-pink and cream-yellow standards. Falls, rosaline-pink. Lovely. HM. '42.
- LOS ANGELES** (Mohr-Mitchell '27) M. 38" 60c
Lovely white and blue plicata. One of the earlier plicatas, but still a popular one. AM. '44.
- LOTTIE LEMBRICH** (Lapham '51) M. 37" Net \$10.00
Very large, soft lilac self with bright tangerine beard. Described as a new color in iris.
- LOVELACE** (Mitchell '48) L. 36" \$3.00
Crisp, flaring and slightly ruffled plicata. Standards, buff-white with soft pink stippling. Falls, warm white, edged with soft pink stippling. Very dainty.
- LUCERNE** (Salbach '40) EM. 36" 65c
Large, clear, deep blue, almost a self. Tall, with nicely branched stems. A good bloomer and an outstanding flower in the garden.
- LULLABY** (Hall '43) M. 36" \$1.00
A rich, orchid-pink self. Flowers are large and rounded. Good branching.
- LYNN LANGFORD** (Hall '46) M. 36" \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00
A deep toned orchid-pink, with no markings. Splash of gold at beard. This flower of large size, fine form and heavy substance rates as one of the best in this color class. AM. '50.

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MAJORETTE (Miess '53) M. 36" Net \$17.50
This exciting new iris is described by Miss Miess as being "Jaunty and Saucy as a majorette strutting down the street". Deep maroon falls are accentuated by a white beard, and white plicata markings at haft. Standards are rosy-mauve. Flower of flaring form and great substance.

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Vivid ginger-brown self with flat flaring falls. Effective in a garden clump.

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A lovely, late iris. Large flowers of heavy substance with golden standards, flushed cardinal-red and falls dark copper-gold, overlaid red. Gold at haft.

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Lovely, large white ground plicata, with blue markings.

MARY ELLEN (McKee '47) L. 38" \$1.50
Standards, rosy-red. Falls, deep ox-blood red, edged rosy-red. A brilliant flower. HM. '47.

MARY NICHOLS (See page 3 for description) 60c

MARY RANDALL (Fay '51) M. 36" Net \$20.00
This exciting new rose-pink self with tangerine beard, listed as "Bengal Rose" in color chart, is a new color break in iris. A flower of perfect form with wide haft, free from markings, and falls flaring, rippled and of unusual thickness. Blooms are well spaced on strong, well branched stalks. HM. '51, AM. '53.

MARY SENNI (Miller '30) M. 42" 50c
Large flower with deep violet falls and standards lilac, flushed reddish brown.

MARY VERNON (McKee '42) M. 37" \$1.00
Variegata with flaring falls of ruby-red, edged old gold, and standards of golden-bronze. AM. '45.

MARDI GRAS (Smith '52) L. 40" \$15.00
Distinctive new neglecta with beautifully arched standards of light campanula violet and deep velvety purple semi-flaring falls, with brown overlay at haft.

MASTER CHARLES (Williamson '43) M. 38" 75c
A deep, lustrous mulberry-purple, with blending of brown at haft. Beard, mulberry purple, tipped brown. AM. '46.

MATTERHORN (Sass '38) EM. 38" 60c
Pure white iris with white beard. Beautiful form and fine substance. AM. '40.

MATTIE GATES (Sass '46) ML. 36" \$3.50
Lovely wax-like iris with lemon-chrome standards and white falls with wide border of lemon-chrome. Fine substance. AM. '50.

MAYTIME (Whiting '50) M. 36" \$12.00
Exquisite, large pink amoena with clear orchid-pink standards and broad falls of rose-pink. Admired by all who have seen it. AM. '53.

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Deep apricot with a flush of pink. Large, ruffled bloom of heavy substance and glistening texture. HM. '42.
- MELODY LANE** (Hall '49) E. 36" \$3.50
Large, ruffled, golden apricot with heavy tangerine beard. Fine form and glistening sheen. AM. '52.
- MEXICO** (Kleinsorge '43) VL. 30" \$1.00
Gay bi-color with golden buff standards and red-brown falls, bordered golden buff. HM. '44.
- MIDCONTINENT** (Whiting '52) M. 40" \$7.50
Warm, golden brown near self. The large, rounded flowers are well placed on tall sturdy stems. Blooms profusely over a long period of time. HM. '53.
- MING YELLOW** (Glutzbeck '38) ML. 36" 75c
Very large clear yellow flower with bright orange beard and no markings. Thick substance. AM. '41.
- MINNIE COLQUITT** (See page 3 for description) \$1.00
- MISS CALIFORNIA** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- MISSOURI** (See page 3 for description) 60c
- MISTY GOLD** (Schreiner '43) ML. 33" \$1.00
Pleasing lemon toned iris with gold edging on falls. Broad petaled and fluted. HM. '45.
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Silvery white with edging of rosy-heliotrope.
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Immense, clean pure white of beautiful form, with broad, ruffled petals. Standards are domed and falls semi-flaring. Large, strong, well branched stalks. Sister to Snosheen.
- MODISTE** (Hall '38) EM. 36" 50c
Dainty mauve-pink self. Nice in flower arrangements.
- MOHR AFFAIR** (Walker '53) M. 30" Net \$10.00
A darker, richer Elmoir with the same large perfectly domed flowers. Well branched stalks. This deep, rich wine colored flower creates a brilliant garden effect.
- MOHR ELEGANCE** (Austin '53) EM. 32" \$2.50
Pale amethyst Oncobred self with light yellow beard. Standards arched and falls of heavy substance are flaring.
- MOON GODDESS** (Craig '49) M. 38" \$3.50
Large ruffled wisteria with broad petals and iridescent sheen.
- MOONLIGHT MADONNA** (Sass '43) M. 36" 75c
Crisp, lemon-yellow ruffled flower on well branched stem. Heavy substance. AM. '45.
- MOONLIGHT SERENADE** (Naylor '52) EM. 42" \$10.00
Large warm white with lemon undertones. Ruffled blooms in perfect placement on well branched stems. An iris of distinction. HM. '52.
- MOONLIT SEA** (Sass '43) ML. 36" 60c
Unusual color combination. Falls white, heavily flushed lavender-violet with yellow haft. HM. '43.
- MORNING BLUE** (Jory '48) EM. 38" \$2.50
Large, rich blue Onco type flower with rounded standards and broad semi-flaring falls of heavy substance.
- MT. DIABLO** (Mitchell '50) M. 36" \$3.00
Very large brownish-red. Outstanding in the garden.
- MT. TIMP** (Muhlestein '45) EM. 35" 75c
Vivid plicata of large size with deep cream ground and old rose edging.
- MRS. SYDNEY MITCHELL** (Mitchell '51) M. 48" \$7.50
Imposing new white of perfect form and very heavy substance. The large, broad petaled blooms are borne on tall, sturdy, perfectly branched stalks which carry many buds, insuring bloom throughout the season.
- MULBERRY ROSE** (See page 3 for description) 75c
- MYSTIC MELODY** (Stevens '51) ML. 39" \$7.50
Lovely new bi-tone from New Zealand. Soft cream standards harmonize with smooth butter yellow falls. A flower of semi-flaring form. HM. '52.
- NANKEEN** (Whiting '47) ML. 38" \$1.50
Very large, cool Chinese-yellow with soft rays of chrome-yellow smoothly spread over the whole flower. Well branched stalks. Very hardy.
- NARANJA** (Mitchell '35) ML. 38" 50c
A distinct orange-yellow with self colored beard. AM. '47.
- NEBRASKA SUNSET** (Sass '52) M. 38" Net \$8.00
A self of Raw Sienna, flushed Sudan Brown. One of the outstanding new blends. Fine stalks with good branching.
- NEW ERA** (Sass '49) EM. 36" \$1.00
A yellow amoena with white standards and chartreuse-yellow falls. Very attractive.
- NEW HOPE** (DeForest '50) M. 36" \$5.00
A large plicata of beautiful form and heavy substance. The white ground of both standards and falls deeply bordered a rich violet-blue.
- NEW SNOW** (Fay '46) M. 38" \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00
Very large, ruffled, nicely formed white with a bright yellow beard. AM. '48.
- NIGHT LIFE** (Muhlestein '48) M. 34" \$4.00
Very dark blue-black flower of large size. Should be useful in the breeding of blacks.
- NORTHWESTERN** (F. Cook '51) M. 38" Net \$10.00
Large, clear, bright royal-purple self, even to haft and beard. Beautifully arched standards. Wide, semi-flaring, ruffled falls. Strong stalks with good branching, carrying from 10 to 13 buds. Hardy. HM. '51, AM. '53.
- OCCIDENTAL** (Mitchell '45) ML. 40" 75c
Large, cream ground plicata with reddish stippling.
- OKLAHOMA** (Mitchell '45) ML. 40" 75c
Large olive-yellow plicata with blue blaze on falls.
- OLA KALA** (See page 3 for description) \$1.00
- OLD PARCHMENT** (Kleinsorge '39) M. 39" 60c
A light creamy-tan with golden-buff overlay. Standards are domed and closed. Falls are wide and flaring. AM. '41.
- OPERA PINK** (Whiting '51) ML. 40" \$3.50
A clear light pink self with heavy cream beard. The flowers are large with broad petals of heavy substance. Well placed on strong stalks.
- ORANGE FLAME** (Salbach '40) ML. 36" 60c
Brilliant golden-orange standards. Falls coppery-red. Medium height.
- ORANGE GEM** (McKee '48) M. 40" \$2.00
A rich orange-yellow. Full, rounded flower with flaring falls. Slight ruffling. Orange beard. HM. '48.

ORANGEMAN (Waters '46) M. 40" \$1.00

A large orange self with flush of deeper orange at haft. Smoothly finished. Stalks exceptionally well branched. HM. '47.

ORCHID LADY (See page 3 for description) 60c**ORCHID MIST (Sass '50) M. 38" \$3.00**

A brilliant lavender-pink with deep tangerine beard. Broad petals and nicely flaring form. Excellent.

ORIENTAL GLORY (Salbach '50) EM. 38" \$10.00

Of the many fine iris Mr. Salbach has bred over a period of thirty years, this magnificent flower is undoubtedly his finest introduction. The standards are a velvety mahogany red and the falls a rich, deep chestnut brown, shading to gold near the haft, with a brilliant blue blaze in center of the falls. Orange-yellow beard. The stalk is in excellent proportion to the beautifully formed flowers. HM. '52.

ORMOHR (Kleinsorge '37) M. 36" 60c

Extra large, outstanding Onco-hybrid of pale, silvery lilac with prominent violet veining. Very popular. AM. '40.

ORPHAN CHILD (Rees) \$1.00

This lovely cream iris has not been registered by the breeder, Miss Clara Rees (of Snow Flurry fame) because the parentage has been lost. It has been so widely admired in her garden that she has nicknamed it Orphan Child.

PACIFIC SUNSET (Salbach '44) M. 36" 60c

A good blend in shades of rose, gold and copper.

PAGAN PRINCESS (Douglas '48) EM. 36" \$2.50

Striking, large near bi-tone with Persian-pink standards and Persian-rose falls. Bright tangerine beard. HM. '48.

PALOMINO (Hall '52) M. 36" Net \$15.00

This fascinating new iris, related to the pinks, has clear, pale pink standards and pale ivory falls, with shoulders and edging of amber-copper. Rich, tangerine-red beard. Fine form, heavy substance and good branching HM. '52.

PARTY DRESS (Muhlestein '51) M. 30" \$10.00

Delightfully ruffled iris in a deep shade of pink. Fine form and heavy substance. Abundant bloom. HM. '51.

PATHFINDER (Whiting '48) M. 36" \$6.00

A lovely blend of pink and orchid with pale yellow beard and touch of yellow at haft. Large, heavily ruffled and heavy substanted. HM. '48.

PATRICE (DeForest '45) M. 38" 75c

Large cream ground plicata, edged rose-brown, with gold at haft. HM. '46.

PATRICIAN (H. F. Hall '53) M. 36" Net \$18.00

Described by the introducer as "A pure white of flaring form with a decidedly broad overlay of Barium Yellow on the upper part of falls each side of the full yellow beard." HM. '53.

PEACHBLOW (Sass '43) M. 36" 75c

Rich creamy yellow ground plicata with peach-pink edging.

PEACH PARFAIT (Craig '49) EM. 39" \$1.00

Large, flaring pure peach-pink self with beard of same color. HM. '49.

PEG DABAGH (Craig '48) EM. 38" \$3.00

Large, clear, blue-violet Mohr-hybrid. Won gold cup at Hollywood Iris Show in '49. HM. '48.

PERSIAN PRINCE (Sass '41) ML. 36" 60c

A colorful flower with bright yellow standards and rich chestnut-brown falls. HM. '42.

PIERRE MENARD (Faight '48) M. 38" \$5.00

Extremely large, deep medium blue self with canary yellow beard and smooth finish. A superb iris of flaring form and heavy substance. AM. '50.

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Varieties under each color classification are arranged in order of their popularity. Numbers in parentheses following names indicate rank in the poll.

WHITE

Snow Flurry (10)
New Snow (12)
Lady Boscawen (27)
Spanish Peaks (47)
Katherine Fay (53)
Gudrun (56)
Winter Carnival (66)
Matterhorn (87)

DARK BLUE & PURPLE

Sable (4)
Master Charles (14)
Pierre Menard (30)
Vatican Purple (43)
Black Forest (49)
Danube Wave (89)
Indiana Night (92)
Vice Regal (98)

CREAM & PALE YELLOW (OR WHITE WITH YELLOW SHADINGS)

Amandine (15)
Pinnacle (22)
Desert Song (30)
Fair Elaine (62)
Truly Yours (65)
Elsa Sass (74)
Moonlight Madonna (79)
Golden Treasure (96)

RED & MAROON (INCLUDING BROWN RED)

Solid Mahogany (11)
Ranger (18)
Casa Morena (36)
The Red Douglas (37)
Garden Glory (60)
Sunset Blaze (79)
Cordovan (85)
Louvois (88)

BRIGHT YELLOW & CREAM & PALE YELLOW

Ola Kala (1)
Cloth of Gold (28)
Rocket (29)
Berkeley Gold (46)
Golden Fleece (63)
Treasure Island (73)
Spun Gold (78)
Zantha (84)
Golden Majesty (90)
Goldbeater (95)
Ming Yellow (99)

PINK

Pink Cameo (18)
Cherie (25)
Chantilly (26)
Dreamcastle (32)
Lynn Langford (41)
Pink Formal (50)
Harriet Thoreau (82)
Fantasy (86)
Twilight Sky (97)

PLICATA (LIGHT GROUND EDGED OR SANDED DEEPER COLOR)

Blue Shimmer (7)
Minnie Colquitt (13)
Tiffania (35)
Firecracker (50)
Tiffany (61)
Los Angeles (70)

BLENDS

Argus Pheasant (17)
Mulberry Rose (20)
Cascade Splendor (21)
Bryce Canyon (23)
Prairie Sunset (30)
Bryce Canyon (39)
Three Oaks (40)
China Maid (48)
Chamois (57)
Pretty Quadroon (67)
Golden Russet (68)
Arab Chief (71)
Russet Wings (72)
Tobacco Road (75)
Melody Lane (94)
Ballet Dancer (99)

LIGHT BLUE

Great Lakes (6)
Helen McGregor (9)
Azure Skies (33)
Sylvia Murray (42)
Cloud Castle (45)
Distance (54)
Gloriole (64)
Cahokia (76)
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Blue Rhythm (2)
Chivalry (4)
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Blue Valley (52)
Missouri (59)
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Wabash (15)
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- PINK CAMEO (Fay '46) E. 36"** \$1.50
Smooth, deep shell pink with tangerine beard. Pointed, very deep pink buds add to the attractiveness of the flaring flower. Stalks, strong and well branched. Fast increaser. AM. '48.
- PINK FORMAL (Muhlestein '49) M. 38"** \$6.00
A very large deep pink iris with rich red-tangerine beard. Flowers are broad petaled and perfectly formed and of extra heavy substance. Strong, well branched stalks. AM. '51.
- PINK LACE (Sass '47) M. 36"** \$1.00
Smooth shell pink of medium size, slightly ruffled.
- PINK PLUME (Schreiner '51) M. 36"** \$6.00
Exquisite orchid-pink iris with domed standards and broad falls. An iris certain to be in great demand. HM. '52.
- PINK REFLECTION (See page 3 for description)** 75c
- PINK SAILS (Sass '50) M. 36"** \$5.00
Deep salmon pink self with salmon red beard. A broad petaled flower of flaring form.
- PINK SENSATION (Hall '48) M. 35"** \$7.50
Delicate true pink, without any trace of lilac or salmon tones. Tangerine beard. Full, rounded petals of good substance with lacinated edges. AM. '52.
- PINNACLE (Stevens '49) M. 35"** \$4.00
An entirely different iris with clear white standards and broad, well formed, primrose-yellow falls of wax-like finish. Strong stalks with good branching. A "must" for your garden. AM. '51.
- PLUM PRETTY (DeForest '49) M. 33"** \$3.50
Attractive, smooth flower of grape-purple with lovely sheen and fine oval form. HM. '50.
- PORCELAIN BLUE (Sass '51) M. 36"** \$5.00
A beautiful, true porcelain-blue. Lovely form and heavy substance.
- PORT WINE (Sass '50) ML. 37"** Net \$8.00
A handsome plicata with rich enameled white ground, heavily bordered with rich deep purple-red. HM. '50, AM. '53.
- PRAIRIE SUNSET (See page 3 for description)** \$1.00
- PRECIOUS DAYS (Smith '53) E. 39"** Net \$15.00
Tailored, pale blue self with no markings and white tipped beard. Stalk carries as many as five branches with the lowest branch, re-branched. A clump has great carrying power.
- PRETTY QUADROON (Kleinsorge '48) ML. 35"** \$6.00
A flower of fine, flaring form with ruffled falls, in smooth metallic light copper brown. AM. '50.
- PRISCILLA (Whiting '42) M. 34"** 75c
Pure white flower with white beard, broad petals and flaring form. AM. '47.
- PURISSIMA (See page 3 for description)** 60c
- PURPLE FLASH (Lyell '51) M. 38"** \$4.00
Shimmering, deep dark red-purple self. A fine iris in the dark class.
- PURISSAMOHHR (E. Weidner '52) ML. 40"** \$18.50
Sensational new pure white Onco-hybrid. Large flower of heavy substance with closely domed standards and very broad, flaring falls. No markings. Golden tan beard. Delightfully ruffled. HM. '52.
- QUECHEE (Knowlton '50) M. 36"** \$6.00
A handsome garnet-red self. Cupped standards. The falls are rounded and flaring. Heavy bronze beard. A good red and a fine grower. HM. '50.
- RADIANT KNIGHT (See page 3 for description)** 60c
- RADIATION (Hall '48) EM. 33"** \$7.50
A lovely deep toned orchid-pink with bright tangerine beard. Very large flowers, well substandard. Domed standards and wide flaring falls. AM. '50.
- RAINBOW ROOM (Sass '46) M. 36"** \$3.00
A beautiful blend of gold, tan and lilac. Standards are pale yellow, flushed soft copper and tinted lilac. Falls are deep lilac, with a border of copper yellow, and a blue flush at the tip of the beard. AM. '51.
- RAJAH BROOKE (Norton '45) M. 38"** \$1.00
A brilliant variegata of clean coloring. Standards, bright topaz. Falls, glowing red. HM. '46.
- RAMESES (Sass '29) ML. 36"** 75c
A gold, pink and buff blend. Very hardy. This iris is in the pedigree of many of our newer introductions, such as Memories, Dolly Varden and Party Dress. Dykes Medal '32.
- RANGER (Kleinsorge '43) ML. 35"** \$1.50
Velvety, near-crimson self with cone shaped standards and semi-flaring falls. AM. '46.
- RASPBERRY RIBBON (Schreiner '51) EM. 34"** Net \$10.00
A crisp, ruffled plicata of beautiful form. Standards, raspberry. Falls, snowy white with a band of raspberry etched around the border. Orange beard. HM. '51.
- RASPBERRY SUPREME (Mitchell '50) M. 36"** \$2.50
A lovely raspberry-orchid with a tangerine beard. Should be useful for breeding with the new colors coming from the pinks.
- RED MAJESTY (Douglas '46) M. 36"** \$2.50
A very large wine-red, with a heavy yellow throat. Bright. HM. '48.
- RED TORCH (See page 3 for description)** 75c
- RED VALOR (See page 3 for description)** \$1.00
- REDWARD (See page 3 for description)** 75c
- REDWYNE (McKee '45) M. 36"** \$2.50
Deep, bright mahogany-red self, with a rich velvety finish. Really fine. HM. '45.
- REHOBETH (DeForest '53) M. 36"** Net \$25.00
A clear, pale sky-blue iris. The flaring blooms measure seven inches or over. Closed standards and wide, semi-ruffled falls. Excellent substance and satin sheen.
- RELENTLESS (Cook '48) ML. 38"** \$2.00
A solid deep red self. Blooms, medium-large in size, are of fine, rounded form. Yellow beard. Does not fade. Very fine. HM. '50.
- REMEMBRANCE (See page 3 for description)** 75c
- RENDEZVOUS (Tompkins '50) M. 38"** \$5.00
Bright, beautifully formed plicata of clear coloring. The ground is rich chrome-yellow and the petals are edged a red toned orange. Standards, broad and well domed. Falls flare horizontally. Heavy substance and silken finish. HM. '50.
- ROCKET (Whiting '45) M. 36"** \$1.50
Brilliant orange-chrome self with wide petals and heavy substance. AM. '47.
- RODEO (DeForest '47) M. 36"** \$2.00
Impressive, large plicata with creamy gold ground and buckskin brown markings. HM. '49.
- ROSABELLA (Kleinsorge '51) E. 48"** \$5.00
Brilliant, deep rose-red flower with haft flushed metallic copper. Bronze-orange beard. Wide, flaring falls. Vigorous. HM. '52.

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ROSE AMBER (Whiting '50) ML. 36" \$6.00
Glistening rose-amber self. A large, beautifully ruffled flower that is outstanding in garden value.

ROSE PEARL (Salbach '43) EM. 28" 75c
This lovely iris with creamy pink standards and deeper pink falls makes a charming garden clump. Extremely effective when planted with blues.

ROSY RUFFLES (See page 3 for description) \$1.00

ROYAL SCOT (Hall '44) M. 36" 75c
Outstanding yellow ground plicata, brushed burgundy-red. HM. '44.

RUFFLED* BOUQUET (Rees '47) EM. 36" \$3.75
Frilled and heavily ruffled iris of rich cream, with deeper toned standards. Excellent form, smooth finish and heavy substance. A superb iris. HM. '52.

RUFFLED ORGANDY (E. Brenan '51) M. 40" Net \$17.50
Ruffled, translucent flower with creamy ground. Both standards and falls bordered buff. Lustrous, pearly undertone. Tall, strong well branched stalks hold from 10 to 17 buds. Blooms throughout season. HM. '53.

RUMBA ROSE (Whiting '49) M. 38" \$1.50
Unusual amoena with orchid-pink standards and vivid rose-red falls. Fine substance.

RUSSET WINGS (Wills '46) M. 36" \$1.50
Radiant combination of gold, copper and apricot. This russet toned flower with flaring, ruffled falls is a great garden favorite. AM. '52.

RUTH (Innes '50) M. 35" \$3.00
Large, smooth medium yellow flower with satiny finish. The edges of both standards and broad flaring falls are ruffled and crimped. Lovely. HM. '51.

RUTH POLLACK (Sass '39) ML. 36" 60c
Soft yellow ground plicata with rose markings. AM. '41.

SABLE (See page 3 for description) 75c

SADDLE BROWN (Rees '52) M. 40" \$8.50
Bright, large saddle-leather brown. Perfectly formed flowers on tall well-branched stalks. Another of Miss Rees' fine introductions.

SALMONETTE (Sass '46) M. 35" \$1.00
Lovely salmon pink flower with self colored beard. HM. '47.

SAMITE (Whiting '52) M. 38" \$6.00
Large, clear white of heavy substance and ruffled form, with touch of yellow at throat. White beard, tipped yellow. Strong, well branched stalks. HM. '52.

SAN FRANCISCO (Mohr-Mitchell '27) M. 38" 60c
Fine white ground plicata. Both standards and falls trimmed blue. Dykes Medal '27.

SANTA CRUZ (Mitchell '45) EM. 48" 75c
Large flower of flaring form with yellow standards and yellow falls veined red.

SARAH LESTER (Rees '51) EM. 40" \$5.00; 3 for \$12.50
Huge pale yellow iris with flaring form and good substance. An iris you will want in your garden.

SEA LARK (Muhlestein '46) M. 36" \$1.50
Soft, slate blue with flush of purple on the falls. A distinctive iris of fine form and finish. HM. '47.

SERENATA (Milliken '42) M. 38" 75c
Colorful russet-pink flower. Well branched.

SHARON KAY (DeForest '45) M. 36" \$1.25
Lovely lilac iris with light beard.

SHINING WATERS (See page 3 for description) 60c

SIEGFRIED (Sass '36) ML. 44" 50c
Huge sulphur-yellow, overlaid with stippling of purple. AM. '38.

SIERRA BLUE (See page 3 for description) 60c

SILVER TOWER (Mitchell '50) M. 38" \$3.00
Large, porcelain white flower with frosty finish. Ruffled edges. Fragrant. A fine iris.

SKY RANGER (Hall '48) M. 54" \$1.50
Large, graceful blooms of heavily ruffled medium blue, well spaced on tall branched stems. Hardy in adverse weather. AM. '52.

SNOQUALMIE (See page 3 for description) 60c

SNOSHEEN (Sass '50) M. 38" Net \$12.00
Beautiful clean white iris with frosty, glittering finish. Broad, effectively ruffled petals. HM. '50.

SNOW CARNIVAL (Graves '42) M. 39" \$1.00
Large, flaring white of perfect form and good branching. AM. '44.

SNOW CRYSTAL (Wills '47) M. 35" \$1.50
Delicately marked plicata with white ground, blue style arms and blue stitching at haft. HM. '47.

SNOW FLURRY (Rees '39) EM. 44" \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
Large, ruffled icy white with faint blue cast. Flaring form and heavy substance. Parent of many of our finer iris today. AM. '41.

SNOW VELVET (Sass '42) M. 38" 75c
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Blue Shimmer
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Heavily textured, dark mahogany red iris of fine form and good branching. AM, '47.

SORREL TOP (Mitchell '43) ML. 42" \$1.00
Creamy-yellow ground plicata marked rose-brown. HM, '47.

SO SWEET (Mitchell '53) EM. 40" Net \$10.00
Lovely pale porcelain blue with large, rounded flowers. Well branched. Fragrant.

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SPANISH PEAKS (Loomis '47) ML. 38" \$2.00
Very large pure white with white beard, haft and throat. Broad petals are heavily subenced and smooth textured. AM, '50.

SPARKIE (DeForest '53) M. 36" Net \$10.00
Bright new plicata. Falls Cadmium yellow, deeper in center, heavily marked Prussian red. Closed standards, flushed light Prussian red. Orange-brown beard.

SPELLBINDER (Smith '52) ML. 34" Net \$15.00
A reverse bi-color. Standards and underside of flaring falls, light naphaline yellow, creating a chartreuse effect. Top of falls oyster white with green-gold lines at haft. Entire flower has fluted edge of bright yellow gold.

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Delightful seashell pink with deep tangerine orange beard and wax-like finish. HM, '45.

SPRING CHEER (Whiting '47) M. 36" 50c
Large creamy yellow with blue flush on falls. Crimped edge.

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Immense creamy yellow iris with darker edge. Extremely broad petals of flaring form and silken sheen. Outstanding.

SPRING ROMANCE (Miess '49) EM. 42" \$5.00
Huge 7-inch blooms of waxy cream-white with frosty overlay and heavy infusion of gold at haft. Heavy, deep orange beard. Both standards and falls wide and ruffled. Heavy substance and long lasting qualities. HM, '50.

SPRING SONNET (DeForest '53) M. 40" Net \$20.00
Large flower of flaring form and heavy substance on tall, well branched stalk. White standards and cream-yellow falls.

SPRING SUNSHINE (Milliken '47) EM. 48" \$1.50
Immense pale yellow iris. Wonderful for background. HM, '47.

STARSHINE (Wills '49) ML. 38" \$5.00
This strikingly beautiful iris has standards of deep cream and falls of white, edged cream, with a bluish cast in center, creating an iridescent effect. Flaring form and firm substance. AM, '51.

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STRATOSPHERE BLUE (Lyell '46) ML. 40" \$1.50
Fine ultra-marine blue. Probably one of the bluest in this class.

SUKEY OF SALEM (Nesmith '46) M. 38" 75c
Burnished blend of ochre, rose and brown. Fine parent. HM, '46.

SULTAN'S ROBE (Salbach '45) M. 36" \$1.00
An impressive blend of gold, copper, old rose and deep red with brilliant dash of blue in center of wide flaring falls. HM, '46.

SUNSET BLAZE (Kleinsorge '48) EM. 40" \$2.50
Glowing sunset colors of coppery salmon and flame red, with golden beard, create a stunning garden picture. Very large flowers on tall, well-branched stalks. President's Cup '49. AM, '51.

SWEET MARIE (Muhlestein '51) EM. 38" \$4.00
Immense flower of broad, oval form in clear lavender-orchid. Tangerine beard. A lovely iris.

SYLISTA (Mitchell '49) L. 38" \$2.00
Sparkling white iris with yellow haft and heavy yellow beard.

SYLVIA MURRAY (See page 3 for description) \$1.00

TALLY HO (Hall '49) M. 32" \$7.50
An iris of beautiful form in shades of fuchsia. Standards, light fuchsia and falls light fuchsia with deeper tones toward center. HM, '50.

TECHNICOLOR (Whiting '50) M. 34" \$7.50
Glowing ruby red flower, well proportioned to height of stem. Blooms freely. HM. '50.

TEMPLE BELLS (Hall '52) M. 36" Net \$15.00
Large apricot-yellow flower with slightly ruffled flaring falls, accented by heavy red-orange beard. An iris of distinction. HM. '52.

THE CAPITOL (See page 3 for description) \$1.00

THE MAD HATTER (Lyon '51) M. 42" \$10.00

Unusually tall deep maroon iris of semi-flaring form, great substance and fine branching. Fragrant. HM. '51.

THE RED DOUGLAS (See page 3 for description) 75c

THE TANNER (Muhlestein '51) ML. 30" \$5.00

Fascinating bright mustard tan self with fine flaring form. A new shade in this color class.

TOURNAMENT (Wills '48) L. 42" \$1.50
Brilliant large rose-purple iris with velvety brown overlay at haft. HM. '48.

TOURNAMENT QUEEN (Milliken '47) EM. 36" \$1.50
Huge lustrous fuchsia toned iris measuring 7 inches across. Sweet scented.

TOWER OF JEWELS (Salbach '41) M. 48" \$1.00
A beautiful blend of gold, pale yellow and mauve. Very tall, well branched stalks.

TRANQUILITY (Fay '50) M. 38" \$8.00
A magnificent iris. The large milk-white flower with white beard has domed standards and broad flaring falls. Perfectly branched stalks and blue-green leaves. HM. '50. AM. '53.

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Smooth glistening golden tan self with light bronze beard. An iris of immense size with unusually broad falls and very heavy substance. HM. '51.

THREE CHEERS (Cook '45) M. 38" 75c
Tall, impressive bi-color with clear light blue standards and velvety dark violet falls. Near white beard. HM. '46

THREE OAKS (See page 3 for description) \$1.00

THREE SISTERS (See page 3 for description) \$1.00

TIFFANJA (DeForest '42) M. 42" 75c
Lovely cream yellow plicata stippled and bordered light brown. AM. '46.

TISHOMINGO (Caldwell '42) ML. 38" 75c
Large wisteria-blue self with glistening finish, flaring form and heavy substance. AM. '43.

TOBACCO ROAD (Kleinsorge '42) M. 36" \$2.00
Tobacco brown self of very heavy substance. Wide horizontal falls and closed standards. AM. '46.

TOP FLIGHT (Hall '53) M. 34" Net \$10.00
A Temple Bells of deeper coloring with heavy orange-red beard. An impressive iris. HM. '53.

TOP SCORE (Salbach '49) M. 32" \$1.50
Splendid variegata with bright yellow standards and broad deep chestnut falls, edged yellow. Distinctive.

TRANQUIL MOON (Cook '48) M. 35" \$4.00
A most unusual cool, crisp appearing flower with deep cream standards and wide horizontal falls of white, bordered cream. HM. '50.

TREASURE ISLAND (See page 3 for description) 60c

TRULY YOURS (Fay '49) L. 38" Net \$15.00
Immense, lacy edged, heavily ruffled flower. The heart is bright, yellow shading to white at bottom of falls and top of standards. The unopened buds and under side of falls are yellow. The haft is very wide with gold threads radiating from the yellow beard. An exquisite iris. AM. '51. Dykes Medal '53.

TWILIGHT SKY (Fay '48) M. 35" \$2.00
A clear pink with red beard. No markings. HM. '50.

VANITY FAIR (Hall '51) L. 36" \$10.00
Smooth tailored medium pink bloom of heavy substance and silken sheen. Bright tangerine orange beard. A superior flamingo pink. HM. '52.

VELVET DUSK (Schreiner '49) ML. 36" \$2.00
Glossy blue-black bloom, well flared and rounded, with brown beard.

VICE REGAL (Miles '46) EM. 34" 75c
Rich bronzy red-purple with bronze beard and lustrous finish. AM. '51.

VIOLET HARMONY (Lowry '52) M. 40" \$12.50
A lovely shade of violet with lighter shading under beard. Large and ruffled with semi-flaring falls. Sturdy stalk. A vigorous grower with long season of bloom. HM. '52. President's Cup '53.

VOODOO (Kleinsorge '48) M. 38" \$1.50
Chocolate brown standards and velvety red-brown falls. Entirely different than other flowers in this color class.

WABASH (See page 3 for description) 60c

WARM SPRING (Gaulter '54) M. 38" \$5.00
Large, ruffled deep yellow self of excellent form. Holds color well in bright sun. Flowers beautifully displayed on sturdy, well branched stalks. A fine new introduction.

WEDDING BOUQUET (Buttrick '52) M. 35" Net \$10.00
An iris of great individuality and charm. Pure white, ruffled, broad petaled flowers with domed standards and semi-flaring falls. The unopened buds and under side of falls are chartreuse. HM. '52.

WHITE PEACOCK (Pattison '52) M. 36" Net \$15.00
A soft blue white of near perfection. Large flowers, heavily ruffled and flaring. Tall, well branched stalks. HM. '52.

WHITE SMOKE (Rees '50) ML. 42" \$2.50
A very large blue white flower of beautiful form and fine substance. Blooms last over a long period of time. Another fine iris by the breeder of Snow Flurry.

WHITE WEDGEWOOD (See page 3 for description) 75c

WINTER CARNIVAL (Schreiner '41) M. 40" \$1.00
Very large flaring snow white flower with gold throat. HM. '42.

WM. A. SETCHELL (See page 3 for description) 75c

WM. MOHR (See page 3 for description) 60c

WM. MOHR GIANT (Mohr-Mitchell '25) EM. 27" \$1.75
Immense bright lavender hybrid, veined red-violet. A sensational flower.

WONDERFUL (Smith '48) ML. 37" \$1.00
Immense plicata with cream ground and deep mulberry purple edge.

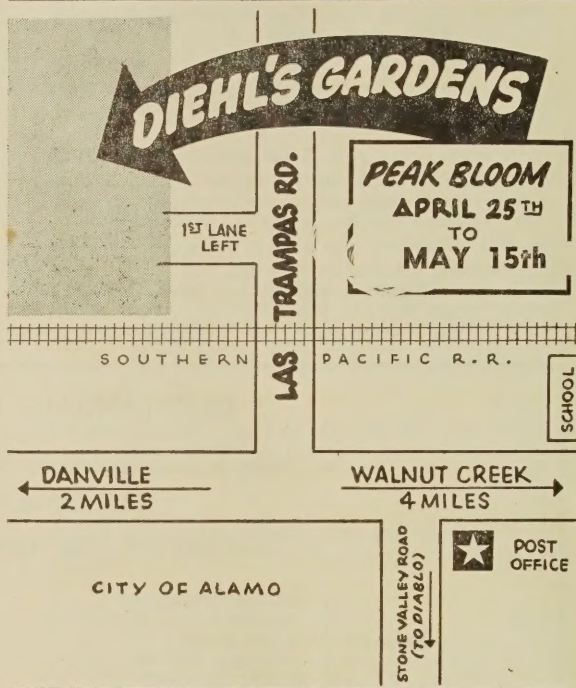
WOODMONT PLUME (Mitchell '53) M. 37" Net \$15.00
A fine deep plicata. Standards, nicely domed, stippled deep red-violet. Falls white, heavily edged red-violet. Good branching.

YELLOW ORGANDY (Rees 52) L. 42" \$7.50
Lovely crisp ruffled yellow, with just a hint of green. The 6 inch flowers of fine substance have a cool, starched appearance. Well branched and floriferous.

YOUR WORSHIP (White '48) M. 40" \$1.50
Smooth red-brown self. Of intense color value. HM. '47.

ZANTHA (Fay '47) EM. 38" \$2.50
Large, clean deep yellow self with no markings and yellow beard. Tailored flowers of flaring form. Parent of Truly Yours. HM. '47. AM. '52.

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EARLY BLUE—Blue with orange spot. M.

GOLDEN HARVEST—Brilliant yellow. M.

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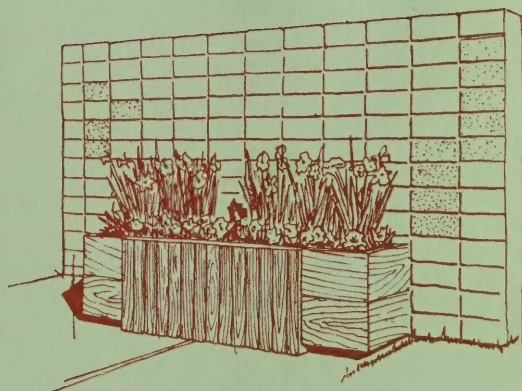
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